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Application No.: 09/666,144   )
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Filed: September 20, 2000   )   Docket No: 39562-175774
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For: CHIRAL, CHARGED PEPTIDE   )
       NUCLEIC ACID OLIGOMERS FROM   )
       CYCLIC MONOMERS   )
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This is in response to the Communication dated July 8, 2003 requiring submission of a

corrected Sequence Listing. Enclosed is a substitute Sequence Listing in paper and electronic

form. The paper Sequence Listing and the electronic Sequence Listing on the diskette are identical.

A copy of the Notice to Comply with Sequence Listing Requirements is included herewith.

Early and favorable consideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 8, 2003

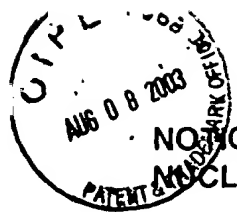Ann S. Hobbs, Ph.D.
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